**BOCKET NO.: SPC-637 (ORGU-0023)** PATENT IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE AU6 0 1 2000 2 Re Application of: Smith et al. Serial No.: 08/392,934 **Group Art Unit: 1644** Filing Date: October 28, 1996 **Examiner: R. Schwadron** For: IMMUNOREACTIVE PEPTIDES FROM EPSTEIN-BARR VIRUS I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID ON THE DATE INDICATED ABOVE AND IS ADDRESSED TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, DC 20231. Mark DeLuca **REGISTRATION NO.: 33,229** RECEIVED □ NON-FEE Box AUG 07 2000 **Assistant Commissioner for Patents TECH CENTER 1600/2900** Washington DC 20231 Sir:

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is:

A Preliminary Amendment.

A Reply and Request for Reconsideration Responsive to the Office Action Dated February 3, 2000.

An Amendment Supplemental to the Paper filed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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	Substitute Pages of the Specification are enclosed.	
$\boxtimes$	An Abstract is included in the Reply and Request for Reconsideration.	
	Sheets of Proposed Corrected Drawings are enclosed.	
	A Certified Copy of each of the following applications: is enclosed.	
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## ASSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO ADDITION TO ORIGINALLY NAMED INVENTORS

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

ORTHO DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEMS, INC., of 1001 U.S. Route 202, Raritan, New Jersey 08869 and GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, of 37th and O Streets, NW, Washington, D.C., 20057, each having an undivided one-half interest in the above identified application, an assignment having previously been submitted for recordation under separate cover (a copy of that assignment being attached hereto), hereby assents to the correction of inventorship filed on October 28, 1996.

ORTHO DIAGNOSTIC SYSTEMS, INC., and GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY state that they have reviewed the executed assignment and to the best of their knowledge and

belief, title to the above identified invention and application resides in the herein named assignees, and that the evidentiary document supporting this knowledge and belief, as required by 37 CFR 3.73(b), is the executed Assignment document.

The undersigned declare that the undersigned are empowered to sign on behalf of their respective assignee.

Each of the undersigned further declare that all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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